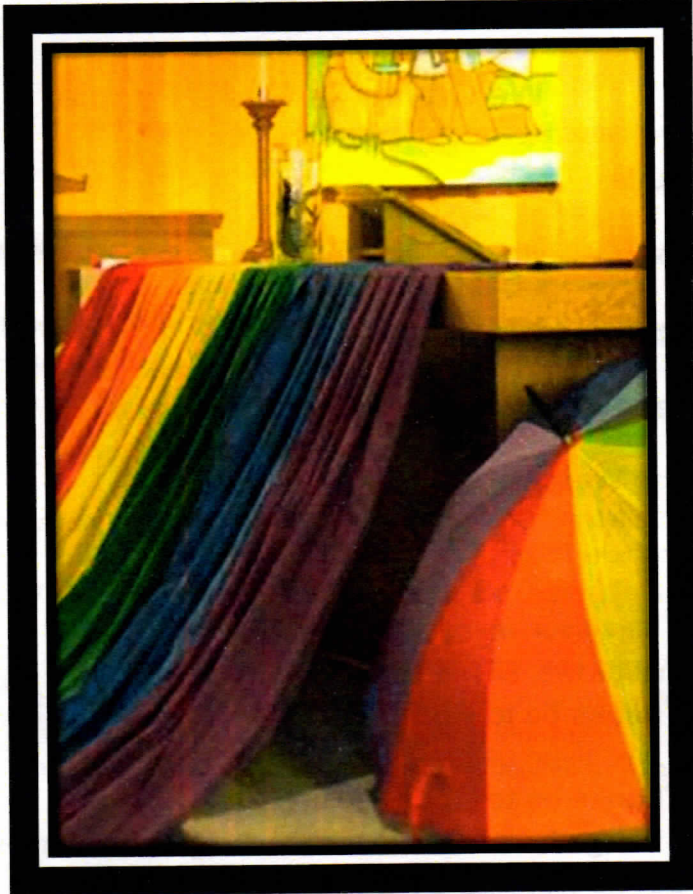


SUMMERLEA UNITED CHURCH

225, 50th Avenue, Lachine



Officiant: Sarah Wicks-Potter
June 07, 2026 - 10:30am

Welcome to our community as we worship together.
Bienvenue à l'Église Summerlea. Venez nous rejoindre pour les
rafraîchissements dans la salle de l'église ce matin, après le service.
Please join us for fellowship hour in the church hall following the service.
There are no visitors here, for we are all part of the family of God.

Summerlea United Church is located on land that has long served as
a site of meeting and exchange amongst Indigenous peoples and nations.
We honor, recognize, and respect these nations as the traditional stewards
of the lands and waters on which we meet today.

We Gather as God's People

Prelude

Introit *"Come Oh Spirit, Dwell Among Us"* **VU 198**

Welcome and Announcements

Time of Centering

Call to Worship

From *Celebrate God's Presence*, p.22, modifications made by
Sarah Wicks-Potter

God has given us this beautiful earth,
All that grows, all that lives upon it.

Thanks be to God.

God has given us breath to live and spirit to sing.

Thanks be to God.

God has gathered us into a community of care and worship.

Let us worship God,

With love, thanksgiving, and praise.

Amen.

Opening Hymn *"I Danced in the Morning"* **VU 352**

Église Unie Summerlea United Church

Sunday, June 07 2026 le dimanche 07 juin

SECOND AFTER PENTECOST

Prayer of Confession & Words of Assurance

From *Celebrate God's Presence*, p.31, 32, & 43 modifications made by Sarah Wicks-Potter

We are people of worth and value.
When we honestly acknowledge the shame
And guilt of our lives,
There is a possibility of transformation.
Let us pray,
Putting our trust in the accepting grace of Christ.

**Jesus, who sat at the table with outcasts and sinners,
We confess that too often our words and actions
Are not consistent with our beliefs.
Often, we ignore the needy,
Show indifference to the lonely,
And reject those who seem different from us.
Forgive us, we pray.
Empower us to reach out in love and acceptance.
Amen.**

God is the love that over and around us lies;
The grace that is totally unearned;
And the healing that makes the earth whole.
Give thanks to God; we are forgiven!

Amen.

Hymn "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" VU 271

We Listen to the Word of God

Scripture Reader: Mary Reynolds

First Scripture Reading: Hosea 5:15–6:6 NRSVUE

Responsive Reading: Psalm 33:1-12, VU 760

Refrain: A new song to our God proclaim, from age to age rejoice!

Reading from the Gospels: Matthew 9:9–13, 18–26 NRSVUE

Hymn "When Jesus the Healer" VU 358



We Respond to God's Love

Anthem "We Thank You Lord"

Offertory

From *The Presbyterian Church in Canada's Worship Planner for the 2nd Sunday after Pentecost*, file available upon request, modifications made by Sarah Wicks-Potter

God offers us a future in Christ Jesus,
Sometimes through comfort
And sometimes through challenges.
We present our gifts to God in gratitude
For God's faithfulness to us in every situation.

Offertory Dedication

From *The Presbyterian Church in Canada's Worship Planner for the 2nd Sunday after Pentecost*, file available upon request

God of healing and hope,
You offer us what we need in Christ Jesus,
Not always what we want.
Bless our gifts
And use them to meet needs in lives
Touched by the outreach of our church.
Give each of us courage to reach out
In Jesus' name whenever you call.
Amen.

Offertory Hymn

"Your Work, O God, Needs Many Hands" **VU 537**

Prayers of the People

From *Celebrate God's Presence*, p.64, modifications made by Sarah Wicks-Potter

We call to mind our concerns and commitments,
And join our prayers for peace and well-being
To the prayers of the whole church
As they are offered this day for the whole world.

Let us pray:

We remember the people we know
Who are in trouble,
And pray for healing and happiness for all.
Silence

We seek God's encouragement:
For honest trade and just commerce;
For medicine and education;
For the gifts and aptitudes in every person
Which serves justice in community living.
Silence

We pray for peace on earth:
For the generous sharing of the earth's resources
And the responsible sharing of the earth's problems;
For understanding of others
And willingness to regard the diversity of human culture
As more stimulating than threatening:
And for the turning of swords into ploughshares
And spears into pruning hooks.
Silence

We pray for the church,
By all its names and in all its places:
For its continuing usefulness as a channel of grace and
hope;
For its rescue from bureaucracy and stagnation;
For its witness to unity and justice;
For its commitment to hospitality and compassion.
Silence

We commend to the Lord our families and friends;
And let us ask God to help us in the days of this coming
week.
Silence

And we unite all of our concerns together,
Especially the concerns that are known to you alone, Lord,
In the words that you taught us
And in the language of our hearts
As we are bold to say

The Lord's Prayer

We Go Out to Witness in the World

Closing Hymn "*Will You Come and Follow Me*" **VU 567**

Commissioning and Benediction

From *Celebrate God's Presence*, p.71 & 73, modifications made by
Sarah Wicks-Potter

Go into the world:

Dance, laugh, sing, and create.

We go with the assurance of your blessing, O God.

Go into the world:

Risk, explore, discover, and love.

We go with the assurance or your grace, O God.

Thanks be to God!

And may the God who dances in creation,
Who embraces us with human love
Who shakes our lives with thunder
Bless us and drive us out with power,
To fill the world with her justice.

Threefold Amen

Postlude

Summerlea United Church Calendar

June

- 10 10:00am Outreach Meeting
14 10:30am 3rd after Pentecost
16 12:00pm Summerlea End of Year Council Meeting
with Congregational Luncheon
17 9:30am Sandwich Making for Bread & Beyond
21 10:30am 4th after Pentecost – Father's Day & Food Sunday

July

- 08 9:30am Sandwich Making for Bread & Beyond
29 9:30am Sandwich Making for Bread & Beyond

August

- 02 10:30am 10th after Pentecost; Emancipation Sunday
09 10:30am Joint Service with the
West Island Cluster of United Churches
16 10:30am 12th after Pentecost
23 10:30am 13th after Pentecost
30 10:30am 14th after Pentecost
12 9:30am Sandwich Making for Bread & Beyond
26 9:30am Sandwich Making for Bread & Beyond

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Mission Statement

At Summerlea United Church, our Christian faith and love of God inspire a keen sense of community. We seek to worship together, care for each other and reach out to those in need, near and far. In partnership with others, we support action to address food security, poverty, education, social justice and the care of refugees and new immigrants. We share our green church home with organizations that serve the local community.

We are committed to welcoming all people regardless of age, race, ability, language, sexual orientation, gender identity or economic background.

End of Year Council Meeting with Congregational Luncheon on Tuesday, June 16th at Noon

Everyone welcome.

A light lunch will be provided before the meeting at noon
before the meeting at 1:00pm.

Please RSVP by or before Sunday, June 14th to help with the
planning so we can be sure to have enough food. 😊

RSVP at summerlea_united@hotmail.com

Bread & Beyond – The Essential Boxes Initiative

The Summerlea Outreach Committee would like to
thank everyone for their generosity towards the
Bread & Beyond's Essential Boxes Initiative which works
to support rehousing programs in Montreal.

The committee has almost completed 6 "Kitchen Boxes".

The only items still needed are;

Colanders x5, small pots x4, frypans x2

"The Essential Boxes allow a person to take possession of their
home with the assurance of being able to eat, sleep and
shower with dignity the first night".



Please note that the church office will be closed for the month of July.

If there is an emergency in July, please leave a detailed message at 514-634-2651, and we will return your call as soon as possible.

*Summerlea United will be hosting a joint service on
Sunday, August 9th at 10:30am
as part of the United Church Cluster Summer Worship.*

*Have a great month of July,
Colleen, George & Lucia*

WIBUC 2026 SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE – 10:30AM SERVICES

July 05 – Riverside United – 200 Chem. de la Grande-Côte Rosemère

July 12 – Lakeshore Trinity United - 98 Aurora Ave, Pointe-Claire

July 19 – Ste-Genny's United – 4697 boul. St-Jean, D.D.O

July 26 – Valois United – 70 Belmont, Pointe-Claire

Aug 02 – Roxboro United – 116 Cartier, Roxboro

Aug 09 – Summerlea United – 225, 50th Avenue, Lachine

Aug 16 – Côte St-Charles United – 2503 Côte St-Charles, St-Lazare

Aug 23 – Cedar Park United – 204 Lakeview Ave, Pointe-Claire

Aug 30 – Merging Waters United – 24 Maple, Ste-Anne-de-Bellevue

